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Thought for the Week: ".I say to you, if you have faith as a grain of mustard seed, you shall say to this mountain, Remove from hence hither, and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible to you". *Matthew 17:20*

FAITH AS A MUSTARD SEED By Arnis Luks

In my research for this week there is a need to consider the USA Presidential election. The Main Stream Media have prematurely called the results of the election for president, even to the point of transitioning of power as if the results are a forgone conclusion. With the claims of voter fraud and counter-claims going on, it is important to check the rulebook, especially in regard to what looks like the fabrication of some >6,000,000 votes.

<https://www.archives.gov/electoral-college/2020>

I took a look through US government websites in regard to the Electoral College, and the time-line in particular, as to who declares what by when. These are the actual time line and procedure from that Website. November 3, 2020 — Election Day : The voters in each State choose electors to serve in the Electoral College.

The Governor, of each state in America, then needs to prepare a Certificate of Ascertainment which is then forwarded to the official Archivist. This will occur from about now (mid November) through to 14th of December. (*none have currently done this that I could ascertain*) The various States must resolve any controversies between the 8th and 14th December.

14th December - At this point the Electoral College electors meet in their various States and (usually) record their votes for the President and Vice President as they see fit. ***Their vote is not a pre-determined forgone conclusion. They can vote as they see fit, for or against either candidate, or possibly even another candidate.*

23rd of December - The Certificates of Ascertainment must be received by the President of the Senate and the official Archivist.

On or before 3rd January 2021 the official Archivist will transfer the Certificates of Ascertainment to Congress.

January 6th, 2021 : The newly elected Congress (both houses) meets in a joint session to count the Electoral College votes, and announces the result of the Electoral College (unless Congress passes a law to change date).

If there are anomalies and the Electoral College vote has failed to achieve a result to elect the President (+270 votes), there are other processes that the House of Representatives will now go through to determine a result.

If there are anomalies and the Electoral College vote has failed to achieve a result to elect the Vice-President (+270 votes), there are other processes that the Senate will now go through to determine a result.

On 20th January 2021 at midday the President elect and VP elect take the oath of office to be sworn in as President of the United States and Vice-President of the United States respectively.

This procedure is according to the Constitution of the USA, being the rules of their system of government. MainStream Media (MSM) making official declarations as to the results is premature and has obvious political overtones behind such announcements. The contested voting results being fought in the courts does not complete the Electoral College vote outcome. Only the Electoral College electors can complete this task to take the results to the next step. The Electoral College voting outcome may end up in the Supreme Court of USA to make the final adjudication. Only time will tell. It is ironic that USA foreign policy has interfered in so many other nation's elections. The land of the free now needs to do some serious soul searching to recover their country from the hands of a foreign power which wields inordinate influence through the MSM - the handmaid of finance.

MSM Bias

For the past week on the front of all Australian media outlets, front and centre has been the MainStream Media's depiction of the USA presidential election results. This is not official, nor necessarily accurate. The MSM has taken it upon itself to make this declaration. What this does cause is significant unnecessary churn, some degree

of expectation towards the results and anxiety in the mind of the public. The public believe the MSM rather than the political process and their Constitution. I believe the expectation towards the results is what this is about - to cause confusion and to force, to compel, the Electoral College to vote in the manner that they (the MSM) have decreed. A website, theepochtimes.com presents the current standing of the Electoral College votes to be 232-227 for the Presidential election thus far. Two state-recounts and four state-court-challenges for legitimacy - 6 states in total, are not yet clear and in need of working through to conclusion. Sufficient legal and procedural challenges for the result to go either way.

It is really important to recognise that the MSM is the propaganda wing (the handmaid) of world government. It has no legitimacy whatsoever to call the election results prematurely. United States is being brought to the brink of potential civil war and revolution. The MSM are complicit in this purpose, which is nothing short of treacherous behaviour, attempting to pervert the appropriate course the election for President must follow. Officials will be under inordinate pressure, as will the Judges listening to the voter fraud cases, as will the people of America who are trying to decipher what is actually going on.

Polls prior to the election were consistently false, about 10% out from the actual voter results to help cause a shift in voter sentiment - to direct votes to their winning choice. It really is important to recognise the level of fraud that has gone on in this election. Donald Trump may not be a particularly good man, but he appears to have won the election for President of the United States. Whether he achieves the role or not only time will tell. The American people and their Constitution are now being put to a life and death struggle of which the MSM has played no small part in bringing about.

Former Prime Minister Kevin Rudd is making noises in regard to the media monopoly controlled by Rupert Murdoch, I would also add George Soros. In the scenario in the USA, of the MSM manipulation of public opinion, it's obvious we cannot trust a single, overly dominant source for unbiased information. In USA, the MSM generally acts in concert to the will of the money power, failing to provide the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth so help them God. This brings us to the situation in Australia and our own High Court.

High Court of Australia

The Victorian Government is urging the High Court to abandon a legal case against the COVID-19 Lockdown. This really is an important consideration - should any government have the authority to impose house arrest on the entire state or nation ?

While I have the opportunity to read three newspapers each day, it is actually the 20 or so other sources apart from the dominant few that fill in most of the gaps and remove the spin from the situation.

It is a major effort to stay reliably informed, and even then you must park (set aside quite a bit) for the gaps to fill in over time. Also, from research from 'ours and other's' archives to build a comprehensive picture.

My eldest son directed my attention to yet another pseudo-reliable source just today. As did my brother towards the pro-democracy incident in Hong Kong.

Any pretence that Hong Kong still operates under some kind of partial democracy with a shred of autonomy from China is now gone.

<https://www.afr.com/world/asia/even-the-pretence-of-a-democratic-hong-kong-is-now-dead-20201112-p56dxq>

and here: https://www.theepochtimes.com/beijings-latest-move-to-meddle-with-hong-kongs-democracy-could-backfire_3577161.html

Hong Kong's half-empty parliamentary chamber was a sorry sight, with only pro-Beijing appointees remaining. All pro-democracy politicians had been either removed from parliament (4) or resigned in protest (15) against the Chinese imposed totalitarianism - the one party state.

A Living Document

The English Constitution By Walter Bagehot 1873:

https://alor.org/Storage/Library/PDF/Bagehot_W-The_English_Constitution.pdf

Introduction to the Second Edition:

"There is a great difficulty in the way of a writer who attempts to sketch a living Constitution, — a Constitution that is in actual work and power. The difficulty is that the object is in constant change. An historical writer does not feel this difficulty: he deals only with the past; he can say definitely, the Constitution worked in such and such a manner in the year at which he begins, and in a manner in such and such respects different in the year at which he ends; he begins with a definite point of time and ends with one also. But a contemporary writer who tries to paint what is before him is puzzled and perplexed; what he sees is changing daily. He must paint it as it stood at some one time, or else he will be putting side by side in his representations things which never were contemporaneous in reality. The difficulty is the greater because a writer who deals with a living government naturally compares it with the most important other living governments, and these are changing too; what he illustrates are altered in one way, and his sources of illustration are altered probably in a different way. This difficulty has been constantly in my way in preparing a second edition of this book. It describes the English Constitution as it stood in the years 1865 and 1866. Roughly speaking, it describes its working as it was in the time of Lord Palmerston; and since that time there have been many changes, some of spirit and some of detail. In so short a period there have rarely been more changes".

Australia's Living Constitution

Where does the boundary of governmental authority lay? When does seized power (tyranny) that circumvents

implied freedoms, not only within our Constitution, but common law rights preceding even Magna Carta be called back to order and normality? Calling out "Fire, Fire, Fire" in a crowded enclosure is a criminal act. Terrifying the public of a bogus pandemic, in my mind is also a criminal act. Only the courts can determine criminality, not my opinion. But considering the inordinate influence the MSM has, possibly even over judges, their campaign blitz can and does influence the outcome. The un-tendered appointment by Premier Daniel Andrews towards a \$2M contract for QDOS Research is a propaganda point in question.

<https://www.qdosresearch.com.au/public-opinion/>

Public opinion can be manipulated to suit objectives. Central to the QDOS communications strategy is that it advises politicians to use "everyday language — no jargon and write it like you're speaking to a friend".

I have read several of Daniel Andrews' press releases and yes, the releases certainly fit this description: like speaking to a friend, with a \$10k fine if you don't listen.

While You Weren't Looking

While the MSM had us all fully occupied with the American elections, in Australia 41 ministerial forums were being culled from the newly formed National Cabinet as part of a major reset of Commonwealth-State relations - (supposedly) designed to put political leaders and ministers back in charge and streamline the decision making process.

<https://www.afr.com/politics/federal/yes-minister-bodies-culled-in-big-reset-for-federalism-20201028-p569dp>

<https://www.pmc.gov.au/sites/default/files/final-report-review-coag-councils-ministerial-forums.pdf>

<https://www.pmc.gov.au/sites/default/files/federal-relations-architecture-diagram.pdf>

This reset process introduces non-elected expert advisory groups within the much downsized National Cabinet. Sovietisation on steroids to our political process.

Having partly read "*The Framers of the Australian Constitution 1891-1897 : Their Intentions*" by Frank McGrath, this debate of bringing non-politicians into the Federal Cabinet was rejected early on in the 1891-1897 Constitutional Conventions. The Executive, all duly elected politicians, are accountable to the Parliament. By allowing non-political expert advisers into the "new" 'National Cabinet' puts the Ministers at risk of being the fall guy for decisions made for the direct benefit of public-private-partnerships (vested interest). This was demonstrated in Victoria by the resignation of the then Health Minister rather than the behind the scenes expert and bureaucrat. Eventually the bureaucrat did resign but only after revelations highlighted their direct involvement. The vested interest parties did not even surface into the public's mind, selectively obscured by the deliberate MSM censorship of any comprehensive and detailed discussion. Who benefits, Who benefits, Who Benefits ?? Never discussed by the MSM.

Integrity and personal accountability don't appear

to be part of any consideration - only if you get caught out. This is in glaring contrast to last week's *On Target* about the North Sydney Council under Mayor Ted Mack, of open decision making, accountability and financial probity. A world of difference of propriety between the soviet style unaccountable managerial system (unaccountable bureaucracy) and public service as designed within our Constitutional Framework.

How do you like communism so far?

extract: Sydney University professor Anne Twomey says the existing cabinet conventions ought not apply to it (National Cabinet-ed), unless it chooses to adopt them.

"While the participants might agree that confidentiality should apply, the principle of collective ministerial responsibility could not apply, as they are not collectively responsible to one Parliament."

Others are less sanguine and suspect the wrapping of the term cabinet around the COAG first ministers group removes it from FOI review and more generally accountability.

As one former COAG leader observed, with no parliament to be directly accountable to, it gives the 'National Cabinet' enormous power to execute what are going to be highly invasive actions for citizens, business and community groups.

<https://www.afr.com/politics/federal/>

[national-cabinet-creates-a-new-federal-model-20200318-p54bar](https://www.afr.com/politics/federal/national-cabinet-creates-a-new-federal-model-20200318-p54bar)

First Ministers, first secretaries, experts, National Federation Reform Council - all the communist jargon you could hope for in any one document here:

<https://www.pmc.gov.au/sites/default/files/final-report-review-coag-councils-ministerial-forums.pdf>

and here: <https://www.pm.gov.au/media/>

[press-conference-australian-parliament-house-act-29may20](https://www.pm.gov.au/media/press-conference-australian-parliament-house-act-29may20)

This living document (our Constitution) in Australia, as in USA and Hong Kong, is on its last legs and in desperate need of review and amendments. The encroachments towards tyranny need to be responded to by this generation of Australians, or we will leave a bowl of pottage and slavery for our progeny. What is it to be?

**"Do we come from a land down under,
where women glow and men thunder?"**

Every so often the arts will touch a raw nerve of the character and personality of our land and people. Such was the imagination during the 1983 America's Cup won by skipper John Bertrand and designer Ben Lexcen. The team, upon returning to port each night, would play the tune by 'Men at Work' to lift their spirits, especially when facing 3 :1 down against USA, to eventually win 4:3.

Tales of overcoming enormous odds occur many times in our folk law. *The Man from Snowy River* poem depicts a determined young man on a mountain pony riding full gallop downhill through dangerous high country to bring in wild brumbies single handedly.

The pony in full gallop down the mountain side,

placed both the life of the horse and rider at great risk into the 'circumstances of that day'. The colt from old "Regret" that had got away was the pearl of great price. There is no difference to this tale than the one mentioned the other week in *On Target* about St George overcoming the dragon. These archetypal tales touch the spirit of man in such a way as to promote acts of great faith to overcome great adversity - in God's hands I commit my life from this day forward until the end of my time.

Our children need us to do this, as do our not yet born grand and great-grand children. It is our time in history to do our duty for freedom. We must find 'what we can do' and then do it to the best of our ability and even beyond that point from which we yet do not even envisage.

There is a biblical story of Jesus passing a barren fig tree - out of season for producing fruit - and He cursed it. This is to show us all, that we must produce fruit even out of season, when it appears impossible - *And why call you me, Lord, Lord; and do not the things which I say?*

Spending Our Way Out of Debt

Tasmania : Apple Isle to spend its way out of slump:

<https://www.theaustralian.com.au/nation/tasmania-budget-apple-isle-to-spend-its-way-out-of-slump/>

Victoria - Firehose of cash drenches budget

<https://www.abc.net.au/news/2020-11-15/victorian-budget-preview/12878968>

SA Aims to Poach Interstate as Stimulus Doubles to \$4B

<https://www.afj.com/policy/economy/sa-aims-to-poach-from-interstate-as-stimulus-doubles-to-4b-20201108-p56ciw>

NSW Makes 'unashamed' Grab for Business

<https://www.afj.com/politics/nsw-makes-unashamed-grab-for-business-20201105-p56bv3>

A Pathway for Recovery

The issues of recovering our economy (from the government and bureaucratic caused collapse) by the COVID-19 Lockdown policy is finally starting to surface in the MSM. The proposal of further increasing debt is worse than the disease ever was. More debt for future generations not yet even born. The preferred drug of dependency - debt from international finance - continues unabated. What answers do we have to resolve this issue of irredeemable debt? CH Douglas gave us the answers over 100 years ago with his first publication in 1918 of *Economic Democracy* and two years later *Social Credit*.

The Industrial Arts: automation, advanced control, all forms of solar-induced energy, robotics and computer programming are causing machines to almost completely remove the employment burden from the backs of mankind, transferring onto the machines. We do not need to work as we did 250 years ago. What we do need is access to the "fruits of production" in a fair and equitable manner. As we are each issued with 2 votes (*upper house and lower house*) at election time "as a right and part of our cultural inheritance", so we need to be issued with our National Dividend in order to balance the financial books (*and eliminate debt*) "being able to purchase what we ourselves can produce". This anomaly within the financial system has allowed exploitive bankers to claim the whole world as their own corporate property, at least

since 1694 with the establishment of both, the Bank of England and their National Debt.

The money powers' influence over our politicians and bureaucrats has brought us to this place of extreme political instability. They, with the willing assistance of the MSM, would cause confusion, civil war and revolution rather than hand back this power they have usurped so long ago. They will not give it up willingly.

It is our task to subdue this dragon, to overcome any adversity and take civilisation forward. If we do not do what is due of us, our children will wake up in a very dark place of slavery which may take a thousand years to overcome. We are at the threshold of a new and glorious civilisation, of abundance, of security and of plenty for all. God has kept His word. He is faithful. Are we capable of doing our duty and respond to His great act of faithfulness and sufficiency for all?

One brave politician can cause a difference to public perception. At each critical political moment one politician could resign and re-stand for election on the issue of significance like "COVID-19 Lockdown vs Freedom". By giving their electorate the opportunity to decide if Scott Morrison and Daniel Andrews' totalitarian policy is for the good, the electorate could vote that politician back into parliament with a clear mandate to oppose that government policy. Courts can decide what they like but the 'public will' has been expressed. This initiative from one brave politician should be enough to stop an unacceptable government policy and secondly by placing Direct Democracy utilising this type of CIR into the public consciousness, expand freedoms another level.

**One brave soul can make a huge difference,
to subdue the dragon and set the princess free *****

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